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Patent

AMENDMENT

Please amend the above-identified application as shown below.

In the Specification

Please amend the specification in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.121 to the clean version shown below. A marked up version showing the details of the changes shown in Appendix A.

On page 1, under the heading "Cross Reference to Related Applications", please replace the paragraph with the clean version shown below:

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The present invention is related to the following U.S. applications:

U.S. application, Serial No. 09/475,880 filed December 30, 1999 entitled, "A

PLANNING ENGINE FOR A PARCEL SHIPPING SYSTEM" having attorney docket number (E-911); U.S. application, Serial No. 09/476,717 filed December 30, 1999 entitled, "A SYSTEM FOR MANAGING PARCEL SHIPPING" having attorney docket number (E-912); U.S. application, Serial No. 09/475,883 filed December 30, 1999 entitled, "A RATER UTILITY FOR A PARCEL SHIPPING SYSTEM" having attorney docket number (E-913); and U.S. application, Serial No. 09/475,882 filed December 30, 1999 entitled, "A ROUTER UTILITY FOR A PARCEL SHIPPING SYSTEM" having attorney docket number (E-914). All of the applications are assigned to the present assignee and filed on the same date hereof. The subject matter of each of these applications is hereby incorporated by reference.